

PROBLEM

To provide adequate, fireproof and secure housing for TSS.

FACTS BEARING ON THE PROBLEM

At present, those activities of TSS housed in Quarters I lack adequate protection against fire, and security needs improvement.

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[REDACTED] is available through Public Buildings Service, GSA. The building is of brick and concrete construction, is structurally sound, and has 38,187 square feet of floor space on three floors. The amount of \$15,000 of FY 1953 funds were obligated to PSB for engineering fees. The cost of reconstruction and renovation is estimated at \$372,041.29. Funds are available (\$147,041.29 already in General Services Office, \$75,000 available for transfer from the Office of Training, and \$150,000 available for transfer from DD/P.)

ACTION

At its meeting on 4 November 1953, the Project Review Committee approved the amount of \$372,041.29 to carry out the project as proposed, it being noted that the Acting Deputy Director, Administration would advise the Bureau of the Budget in the event the project is approved.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Director approve the expenditure from FY 1954 funds of \$372,041.29 to effect the reconstruction and renovation of [REDACTED] as proposed for the use of TSS.

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Deputy Director (Intelligence)

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Acting Deputy Director (Administration)

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